Docket No. 03500.015658.2

Examiner: M. Shah

Group Art Unit: 2853

Date: November 22, 2004

In re Application of:

AKIRA NAGASHIMA, et al.

Application No.: 10/629,802

- Filed: July 30, 2003

For: INK, INK-JET RECORDING PROCESS, RECORDED ARTICLE, RECORDING

UNIT, INK CARTRIDGE, INK-JET

RECORDING APPARATUS

FLUORESCENCE ENHANCING METHOD AND METHOD OF ELONGATING LIFE

TIME OF FLUORESCENCE

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

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	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	* 39	MINUS	** 36	= 3	x \$9 \$18	54.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 8	MINUS	***	= 0	x \$44 \$88	- 0 -
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$150°/\$300						Prev. Paid
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						54.00

If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

	Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
X	A check in the amount of \$ 54.00 is enclosed.
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06 1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
X	Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.
	Respectfully submitted,
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